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Wednesday Night

The Y's Men's club, at their weekly meeting at Hotel Frances Wednesday night, were entertained and instructed in a talk made by Miss Sue Hefley, librarian at Northeast Center of Louisiana State university. The subject of her address was "South America," where she made a trip a short time ago.

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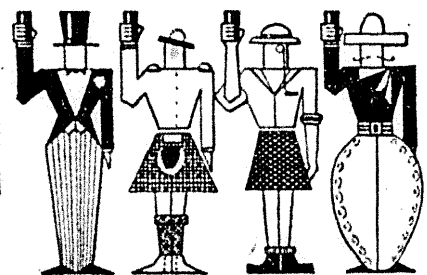
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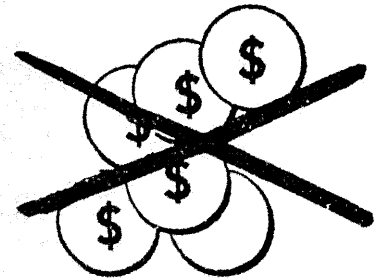
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VETERANS' MEET WILL HONOR NOE

Announcement Of Baton Rouge Assembly Made At Rayville

Announcement was made Wednesday night at an open meeting of Veterans of Foreign wars at Rayville that Governor James A. Noe, of Monroe, will be guest of honor at a meeting of members of the organization Saturday night at Baton Rouge, and that James E. Van Zandt, of Atchoula, La., national V. F. W. commander, will be the principal speaker of the meeting.

Governor Noe will be honored as the first governor of Louisiana who served with the nation's overseas forces during the World war.

The Baton Rouge meeting is sponsored by the Aguilino-Ewing post of that city.

Commander Van Zandt is to make a tour of Louisiana that will include Natchitoches, Lake Charles, Lafayette and Opelousas. Last year, he visited Monroe in the interest of the bonus movement and is not scheduled to come here on the present tour.

The national commander is to attend a veterans' meeting tonight at El Dorado, Ark.

Announcement at Rayville of the meeting to be held at Baton Rouge was made at an open meeting of the Christian Phillips post of the former city. Among the visiting veterans were Ray B. Griffin of Bastrop, department junior vice commander, and other veterans from Bastrop, and a party of veterans and their wives from Monroe, headed by C. A. Hunt, commander of the Rodney J. Hobbs post.

Talks were made by Horace Mangham, editor of the Richland Beacon-News, an honorary member of the Rayville post, Warren Hunt, Rayville attorney, and Department Junior Vice Commander Griffin.

MAGICIAN TO ESCAPE FROM IMPRISONMENT

Employees of a local box manufacturing company have challenged Mel-Roy, magician, who will be here next Tuesday night at the auditorium of Northeast Center of Louisiana State university, to escape from a large wooden box which they have constructed. The box will be placed in the show window of a DeSard street hardware store for public exhibition.

Mel-Roy is expected to accept the challenge. He will be placed in the box and the cover will be nailed over him. It is probable that rope will be wound around the box, thus making it still more difficult for the magician to escape.

Marion B. Smith, registrar of the local college, stated that he had received a telegram from Louisiana college commending the performance that Mel-Roy gave there early this week.

The entertainment here will be sponsored by the sophomore class of the university center.

Sealed Proposals Are Asked On Road Project

Sealed proposals for the construction of a new state highway project in Ouachita parish are asked in an announcement made by the Louisiana highway commission at Baton Rouge. The highway to be improved is known as the Carlin-Pleasant Valley church highway. Proposals are asked of contractors. They must be received in the office of the highway commission not later than 9:45 a.m. on Wednesday, March 4.

The stretch of highway is 2.971 miles in length and will be graded and surfaced in accordance with specifications in the office of the highway commission at Baton Rouge.

CITY COURT
The following cases were tried in the city court Wednesday before Judge W. M. Hooper: Claud Byas, driving while drunk, \$100; Southern Miller, negro, escaping from the city jail, 30 days; Nellie Wainwright, drunk and disorderly, \$7.50; Willie B. White, negro, vagrancy, 30 days; Marion Bolt, negro, vagrancy, 60 days; larceny, 30 days; James White negro, larceny, 60 days; P. L. White, drunk and disorderly, \$7.50.

POSTOFFICE SOUGHT
WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—(AP)—Representative De Rouen, Democrat, Louisiana, has introduced a bill in the house which would authorize the secretary of the treasury to acquire a site and erect a new postoffice building at Ville Platte, La., at a total cost not exceeding \$75,000.

The Iroquois Indians called the jack-in-the-pulpit a baby-in-the-cradle.



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AT LOCAL THEATERS

AT THE PARAMOUNT—What happens when a spirited southern beauty marries into one of New York's "first families" and is ruthlessly sacrificed in the battle to preserve their crumbling grandeur is depicted in dramatic fashion in "Spendor," the new Samuel Goldwyn film which brings Miriam Hopkins to the Paramount theater for two days today. Joel McCrea, last seen with her in "Barbary Coast," again appears opposite the star in this Rachel Crothers story.

All that remains of the once-great House of Lorraine is its Fifth avenue mansion, dominated by the imperious and embittered Mrs. Lorraine, whose schemes to recoup the family fortune by marrying her son Brighton to an heiress are shattered when he brings home his pretty but penniless southern bride, Phyllis Manning.

The story reaches a gripping climax when the selfish and ambitious dowager pushes the girl into an affair with a wealthy and influential man and wrecks her marriage. But love comes to the rescue and brings the young husband to his senses and the film fades out with the pair finding inevitable splendor in the prospect of facing the future together in a two-room flat.

Prominent in the supporting cast are Paul Cavanagh, Helen Westley, Billie Burke, David Niven, Katherine Alexander and Ruth Weston.

TEACHERS' MEETING CALLED FOR SATURDAY

A special meeting for Ouachita parish teachers of the sixth and seventh grades and of principals of schools will be held at the parish grammar school here Saturday at 9:30 a.m.

The program will include: Sixth grade arithmetic demonstration by Miss Juanita Porter of the Ouachita Parish grammar school.

Lesson in penmanship by Mrs. H. P. Smith, principal of the Claiborne grammar school.

"Health and Physical Education Program in Louisiana," discussion led by O. K. Bailey, principal of the A. L. Smith grammar school at Sterlington.

PLEADER GIVEN PENALTY

A sentence of 10 days in the parish jail was imposed by the district court here Thursday in the case of Grady Allen, after he entered a plea of guilty to a charge of driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated. Howard Spears, charged with the same offense, was on trial when the court adjourned at noon.

Optometrists Of State Will Meet Here Sunday

A state-wide meeting of optometrists will be held here at the Hotel Frances next Sunday, beginning at 10 a.m.

Dr. T. A. Brulte of Monroe, has charge of local arrangements for the meeting. The business program of the assembly will be in the charge of Dr. J. H. Mulley of Shreveport. The educational program will be in the charge of Dr. S. R. Clay of Shreveport.

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MONROE MEN ARE NAMED TO OFFICE

Red River Presbytery Selects Officials For Ensuing Year

Two Monroe men were honored by election to office for 1936 by the Red River Presbytery at a session held in Alexandria Wednesday. They are C. E. Kenney, who was named the next president, and D. Curtis Seamon, who was elected secretary.

The complete list of those named to office by the Red River Presbytery are: C. E. Kenney, Monroe, president; Marion K. Smith, Shreveport, vice-president; D. Curtis Seamon, Monroe, secretary; C. W. Gains, Rayville, treasurer; R. F. Kenyon, Minden, Dr. Frank Walker, Shreveport, John P. Graham, Ruston, and F. P. Robinson, Bastrop, members of the executive committee.

L. J. Bass of Lake Charles, was elected president of the Louisiana Presbytery. The delegation from the membership of the First Presbyterian church, which left here for Alexandria early Wednesday by automobile and returned from the meeting late at night, were Rev. Ernest Holloway, pastor; C. E. Kenney, B. P. Hardie, Howard Whiting, D. C. Seamon, Marion Smith, Sidney Stroud, J. Arthur Smith, H. M. Eselman and J. D. Butler.

The United States has newly as much invested in the city of Shanghai as it has in the whole of Japan—\$356,000,000 and \$500,000,000, respectively.

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Building And Loan To Hold Annual Election

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Monroe Building and Loan association will be held at the offices of the association on March 10 at 8 p.m.

Polls will be open on that day from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. to elect directors. At the night meeting, votes will be counted and other business transacted that may be deemed necessary at that time, it is stated.

W. R. McWilliams is secretary of the association.

Martin Temple Choir To Sing At Army Hall Here

The Martin Temple Methodist church choir, directed by Hayward Jackson, will sing at the Salvation Army hall, 323 1-2 DeSard street, Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock, at the invitation of the corps.

The choir of the negro church is said to be well trained. An interesting program has been prepared, according to Capt. G. W. Whitaker of the Salvation Army.

Accompanying the choir will be the D. C. Barnes quartette. It will present several harmonizing numbers.

Among the numbers presented will be several old-time negro spirituals. The public is invited to attend.

MISS JOHNSON IMPROVES
Miss Sybil Johnson, of the Draw community who underwent an operation at St. Francis sanitarium last Saturday, is reported doing well and will return to her home in a few days.

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OPPOSITION TO FLOOD CONTROL BILL EXPRESSED

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Senator Joe T. Robinson, senate majority leader, that an independent bill would have small chance of adoption at this session of congress. The warning was given Mayor R. E. Overman of Little Rock by the senator.

In view of this, it was predicted the group would attempt to agree on an amendment to the Overton bill that would cover their reservoir proposals.

The Overton measure was not entirely without support at the meeting. A delegation from Phillips county, Arkansas, announced that it favored the Eudora floodway plan which would protect it from back-flow of Mississippi river floods.

Early arrivals at the meeting represented Arkansas, Tennessee, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Colorado.

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Missionaries In Ethiopia Allowed To Resume Work

ADDIS ABABA, Feb. 13.—(AP)—The Rev. Harold Street of Paxton, Ill., and the Rev. John Trewin of Toronto have been released from custody in southern Gamo province and permitted to renew their missionary work in northern Gamo.

The government was informed of these developments today following an investigation into the arrest of the two missionaries last month.

Authorities considered southern Gamo unsafe in view of the war and the missionaries were taken from Shama, where their mission was established, to Godu, a safer village.

Mrs. Street and the Streets' four children went with the two missionaries to Godu with a military escort. The escort left after receiving assurances that the missionaries would not attempt to leave Godu.

Cornelius Van H. Engert, United States minister, approved Godu as a safer place for the concentration of missionaries remaining in Gamo province.

AT MOTHER'S BEDSIDE

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kramer, Jr., and Miss Laddie Duke of Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Key of Rayville have been called to the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Mollie Kinabrew at Homer, who is seriously ill with pneumonia.

DEATH TOLL IN HOTEL BLAZE AT LAKEWOOD IS 15

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street, receiving fractures which in three cases proved fatal. Others perished in the flames.

A score were injured, eight seriously, as they strove to escape the inferno.

Police Chief Walter Curtis said a check of other hotels and private homes convinced him the eight missing died in the fire.

Four children's bodies were found in the smoldering ruins last night. Most of the dead identified were from New York City.

WING OF CONVENT DESTROYED BY FIRE

MONTREAL, Feb. 13.—(AP)—A fire destroyed the St. Cecile wing of Ville Marie convent early today, and caused injuries to three nuns of the congregation of Notre Dame, but students and others of the institution staff escaped the building safely.

Mother Ste. Alphonsine, awakened by a smell of smoke, turned in the alarm, and suffered severe burns about the face and wrist before leaving the institution. She was removed to a hospital in critical condition.

The two other nuns of the congregation who were hurt did not suffer serious injuries.

The fire started last night in the male servants' quarters.

In the music room, 21 of the 22 convent's pianos were ruined. Many of the instruments were considered of great value. The convent houses hundreds of girls, many from Montreal. Anxious parents took their daughters home for the night.

FIVE LOSE LIVES IN NEW YORK FIRE

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—(AP)—Fire that swept through a crowded mid-Manhattan Chinese restaurant, terrorizing more than 150 persons, left five dead and 41 injured today before firemen brought the blaze under control.

Several of the injured were in such serious condition they were not expected to recover.

Three men and two women, all of New York City, perished in the blaze which was believed to have started in a ground floor haberdashery last night.

Burning through the floor, the flames quickly swept over the hanging drapes and flimsy decorations of the restaurant.

In a moment 150 persons, who had been waiting merrily there at a party of a Catholic Holy Name society, were transformed into a terror stricken mob.

The dancers, Fire Marshal Thomas P. Brophy said, were told him, refused to heed warnings given by first firemen to reach the scene, and rushed screaming toward the only two exit stairs.

Four of the victims died at the scene while they were being given first aid. The fifth died at Bellevue hospital.

The five who lost their lives, Brophy's investigation disclosed, were trapped by the surge of the frightened crowd and were killed by inhaling smoke and flames.

At the height of the fire several men jumped from the second-story windows when the exits became jammed. Others clambered down a huge electric sign to within eight feet of the pavements and then dropped.

Amette Dobson, a check girl in the restaurant, described the confusion:

"The stairway was packed with people and I was shoved and pushed and knocked down. I got scratched and torn by people who were stepping on me and pushing me around to get out of the place."

Police and firemen made repeated efforts to fight their way into the burning building, but were repulsed by the flames and billowing smoke.

Key weather hampered the fire fighters by freezing hose lines and added

to the danger for the victims, many of whom suffered from exposure.

Harry M. Chu, proprietor of the restaurant, lost his life when he returned to his fire-swept establishment for the cash box after once gaining safety.

THREE PWA WORKERS KILLED IN EXPLOSION

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—(AP)—Jack Smith, 27, died in a hospital today, the third victim of an accidental explosion of dynamite in a sanitary district tunnel 50 feet under the street level on the southwest side last night. Six other men were still under treatment for injuries. All were PWA workers.

Allen Green, 23, and Albert DeSalles, 27, both negroes, died last night of injuries suffered when the blast rocked a section of the bore near West 33rd street and South Carolina avenue.

Government To Find How Money Spent

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files scheduled for Providence, R. I., Columbus, O., Atlanta, Ga., Denver, Colo., and Portland, Ore., have been opened and that sectional work has started in New York and Chicago.

The information was requested by various trade groups.

Officials said it would be valuable to advertisers in that it will show what percentages of the average incomes goes for foods, housing, wearing apparel, transportation, personal spending, recreation, savings, health, education, social activities, civil activities and taxes.

Previous information either was inadequate or out-dated, it was said.

This survey, officials said, will cover the full income range from the most meager wages to incomes from \$7,500 to \$10,000. Above that up to incomes of \$20,000 or more, investigations will be made by salaried government experts.

The bureau of labor statistics will direct the survey in 45 centers, each of which will include one large city of several hundred thousand population and two cities averaging between 40,000 and 75,000, and several cities of from 8,000 to 15,000 population.

Rural surveys will be made by the bureau of home economics, department of agriculture.

Some 1919-1930 figures showed that for the period and region studied 25.7 per cent of the family income was used for food, 12.1 for housing, 11.0 for wearing apparel, 12.1 for transportation, 9.6 for personal expenditures, 3.6 for recreation, 9.2 for savings, 3.2 for health, 2.7 direct taxes, 2.0 education, 1.8 social activities, 1.0 civil activities.

Plans For Burial Of 'Coin' Harvey Made

MONTPELIER, Ark., Feb. 13.—(AP)—Plans for burial of William Hope "Coin" Harvey in the secluded valley of Monte Ne, over which his unfinished pyramid stands guard, were made today with the arrival of his son, Tom Harvey of Huntington, West Virginia.

Arrangements were made after consultation with Mrs. May Elston Leake Harvey, second wife of the 1932 Liberty party candidate for president, who has been in seclusion at their mountain retreat since Harvey's death Tuesday night in his eighty-fifth year.

Harvey's body lay in state at a mortuary in nearby Rogers today.

He will be buried Saturday at 10:30 a.m., in the valley mausoleum where his wife, Holliday Harvey, was laid to rest 30 years ago. Details of services, to be held at the grave, were not immediately completed. Holliday was killed in a railroad accident at the age of 21 at Hugo, Okla.

Conway Appointed To Board Of Education

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 13.—(AP)—E. A. Conway, secretary of state and presently acting governor, has been appointed by Governor James A. Noe a member of the state board of education for the fourth district to succeed J. Luther Jordan of Mansfield, resigned.

Mr. Conway, of Shreveport, was appointed just before Governor Noe left recently on an eastern trip but the action was not made known until today.

He served as a member of the board from 1928 to 1934, and was succeeded by Mr. Jordan when he did not run for reelection.

It was stated that Jordan, elected in November, 1934, resigned after accepting a position with the federal department of agriculture.

EX-GOVERNOR DIES

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Feb. 13.—(AP)—Funeral plans for former Governor Ibra C. Blackwood, who died of a heart attack at his home here a few minutes before last midnight, were held up today pending word from a brother in California.

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COLD WEATHER'S TOLL HEAVY IN MANY COUNTRIES

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Iowa cities to confiscate coal if necessary to conserve supplies.

Nine workers and a government engineer, marooned aboard a workboat locked by ice floes in the Ohio river 35 miles north of Paducah, Ky., faced possible death from an ice gorge upriver which stored up a tremendous head of water.

Snow ranging up to three feet in depth threatened death by starvation to Montana cattle herds. Snow or rain fell or were forecast in most states west of the Mississippi river, in the middle west and along the Atlantic coast.

Europe was lashed by blizzards and gales. Scores of fishermen were killed and others lost along the Italian coast of the Adriatic, nine persons were known dead and many were missing in Asia Minor. Floods swept Smyrna plains villages.

In the wake of a 24-hour blizzard at least 20 were dead in Bulgaria, many others in Hungary and Greece. Macedonia had 25 known dead.

As far south as Alexandria, Egypt, where a flying boat station was destroyed, high seas worked havoc.

In Great Britain the toll hit the past three days stood at 27. Paris faced a food shortage as roads became glazed with ice and only 20 per cent of normal supplies reached markets.

133 PERSONS DEAD IN LAST THREE DAYS

LONDON, Feb. 13.—(AP)—General icy storms sweeping Europe and Asia Minor have killed at least 133 persons in the last three days.

With communications disrupted at many points and, consequently, an even greater report of deaths feared, the following list was compiled:

Bulgaria, 68 dead; Macedonia, 25 dead; Thrace and Anatolia, 12 frozen to death.

Gulf of Salonika, 10 drowned; Adriatic sea, 18 drowned.

The storm which hit Thrace and Anatolia was the most severe in 25 years.

Three hundred and fifty small ships were wrecked at sea and 20 minarets, including the famous minaret of Santa Sophia, were blown off at Istanbul.

Snowdrifts were reported nine feet deep at some points in Thrace.

Many persons were reported to be missing.

PARTY OF TOURISTS MOONED BY SNOW

RACINE, Wis., Feb. 13.—(AP)—Four persons who think they have more reason than most others to complain about the weather are L. E. Zimmerman, his wife and daughter, and Miss Nora Westenberg, of Hartford, Wis.

Last week they kicked up their heels at chilly blasts and started an automobile flight to some California refuge.

Today they and 21 others still were marooned by snow at a roadside near here, where they stopped last Saturday when snow blocked roads.

DETECTIVE WORK GETS CONFESSION

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ermoon—prisoners themselves in all appearances.

"We spread a mattress on the floor," she related today. "All we had to sit on was a wooden box. Both of us had earphones but I did all the writing."

"I took down a lot of conversation but it had nothing to do with the case. It was getting cold and rats would come out now and then and scurper around. We couldn't go out to supper because to be seen coming to and from the jail might have aroused suspicion."

"Finally, about 9 o'clock we began to get what we were waiting for and I took down snatches of conversation that occurred over about two hours of time. At midnight we called it a night and called the jailer to let us out."

District Attorney C. Sidney Fredrick charged at the trial that Thomas shot Warren four times in an argument over a mule.

Secretary Swanson's Condition Is Serious

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—(AP)—Secretary Swanson, who is ill of pleurisy at the naval hospital, was said at 11 a.m. to be in "a serious but not hopeless condition."

A bulletin issued at that hour, Captain G. C. Thomas, commandant of the hospital, said "the secretary is better now than at six o'clock this morning."

Secretary Swanson, who has been ill since February 5, when he fractured his rib in a fall at his home, is in the same building with Colonel Louis Howe, the president's secretary, who also is ill.

LATEST BORDER CLASH AROUSES JAPAN'S WORRY

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eastern Siberia a number of troops equal to the entire Japanese army on a peace-time basis, he charged, while on the Manchoukuo side of the border, the Japanese army has made few reinforcements.

The Tokyo war office had estimated the Soviet far eastern forces previously at a quarter of a million men, 800 airplanes and 650 tanks.

NAZI HEADS PUSH EFFORT TO WIPE OUT ALL ENEMIES

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an organization of salaried detectives. It was described as a secret order of picked men, devoted to the Nazi cause.

The Nazi press, meanwhile, followed the course of Adolf Hitler and other leaders in taking the funeral for Wilhelm Gustloff yesterday at Schwerin as the occasion for a warning that such attacks as the assassination of the Swiss Nazi leader at Davos could only mean a more determined carrying out of the national socialist program.

WOMAN ARRESTED

Margaret Roberts, woman residing on Seventh street, was arrested by police Thursday on a warrant sworn out by Fred Best charging her with embezzlement of \$50. The woman was transferred to the parish jail. The case against her will be handled by the district court.

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GOOD FARM LAND SOUGHT IN STATE

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The projects will be made up of small farms of from 20 to 40 acres. "While tenders on land units of all sizes will be considered, particular interest is being manifested in larger tracts of 2,000 acres or more," Whitaker said.

He emphasized that land for purchase must be productive and mostly in cultivation, free from overgrowth and obnoxious grasses and that location with respect to improved roads and power lines would also be considered. Deferred delivery after 1936 crops could be worked out, he said, where crop plans are too far advanced now for immediate transfer.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. B. R. Williams, 3008 Gordon avenue, underwent an operation for tonsillitis Thursday at the Riverside sanitarium.

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KNOX AND BORAH CONTESTING FOR REPUBLICAN VOTE

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With an early preview of G. O. P. sentiment promised for April showing, with both Colonel Frank Knox and Senator Borah entered in the Illinois primary, there was evidence of further broadening of activity on the part of the veteran Idaho senator.

His forces were girding for action in Oregon, Wisconsin and Nebraska. They previously had made definite plans to enter Ohio.

Knox, Chicago publisher who has been making almost daily anti-New Deal speeches, declined yesterday to say in what states besides his own he would seek president convention delegates.

Lincoln day for the most part was given over to Republican speeches in honor of the 12th birthday of the Civil war president, in which there was a general assault on the administration and frequent references to the constitution.

Such words as "toryism," "despotism," and "dictatorships," were used in reference to the New Deal.

Roosevelt Defended In Indianapolis, however, Secretary Wallace defended the administration. He, too, referred to the constitution, declaring that "most of us" thought

the agriculture adjustment act valid, and "some of us, including three justices of the supreme court, think so still."

"If it was the proper function of the federal government in war time to encourage farmers to plow up land, which should never have been plowed, then it seems to me no less the federal government's proper function to encourage the return of that land to grass and trees," Wallace said, defending the administration substitute for AAA.

Hoover, addressing a banquet audience at Portland, Ore., struck one of his sharpest anti-administration notes.

The outstanding state of the Union at this time, he declared, "is a state of confusion—confusion in thought, confusion in government, confusion in economic life and confusion in ideals."

The former president accused the administration of having "the worst unbalanced budget in history, asserting that a balanced budget and a stable currency would put more men to work than the whole WPA."

"A fountain of fear" was his description of the New Deal.

"The stock boom today is not from confidence in the future," he declared, "it is partly from fear of inflation."

The supreme court Hoover praised for "decisions crashing through New Deal tyrannies which brought a gleam of confidence from the fears that had retarded recovery."

Senator Vandenberg, Republican, Michigan, struck a similar note in New York. He declared "we are now ready for restoratives, rather than narcotics."

"Cycle On Upsetting" "Business is better because the inevitable cycle has long since reached the upswing," he declared. "The forces of recovery are straining at the leash."

Vandenberg urged "Jeffersonian" cooperation with the G. O. P. "In the battle line" and "in the council chamber after next November's victory is won." He referred to Al Smith's Liberty league speech against the New Deal.

A unanimous supreme court, he declared, "vindicated the constitution" in the case of NRA, and "business commenced to boom."

But Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, assailed the court's decision scrapping AAA, saying "it cannot stand if our country is to live and prosper." He urged congress to curb the court's power.

Colonel Knox, speaking in Boston for the first time since he officially entered the race for the nomination, referred newsmen to his many speeches as an indication of what his platform will be.

Like Hoover, he attacked administration spending. He demanded that the budget be balanced.

"To me the New Deal is essentially a tory movement and Mr. Roosevelt, seeking encroachment upon the liberties of the people behind a smoke screen of false liberalism, is the arch-enemy of them all," he said.

FISHER BELIEVES HAUPTMANN WILL CLING TO STORY

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He told me the day of his arrest, at his trial at Flemington, and has told me 50 times since. That is the story I believe to be true.

"If Mr. Leibowitz can't depend on the story as told by Hauptmann, I don't see how he can be of much help."

Leibowitz, widely known for his participation in many a famous courtroom battle, including the defense of the "Scottsboro boys," consented yesterday to enter the Hauptmann defense, apparently at the behest of Hauptmann's wife, Anna.

Leibowitz announced he was ready to visit Hauptmann in the death house "if Hauptmann would tell the truth." He challenged the state's theory that the crime was a "one-man job."

"Any person with the least bit of common sense," he said, "can place little credence in the fish stories told in Bruno's behalf from the witness stand in the Flemington courtroom."

Hauptmann has repeatedly said that the \$4,600 Lindbergh ransom money found at his Bronx home was left him by his business partner, Isidor Fisch, who later died in Germany.

State prison authorities said Mrs. Hauptmann would be admitted to the death house today if she had "something important" to convey, and Leibowitz would be allowed entry, if the condemned man requested it.

Minnehaha Put On Spot By Gangster

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preacher Deganawida, and their partnership resulted in "the strange politico-religious system, based on the doctrine of 'humane brotherhood,' which entered into the league of the Iroquois, a confederation of tribes."

Dr. Hewitt is working with details furnished nearly 40 years ago by a blind Iroquois ritual leader, whose version is said to indicate "considerable historical validity."

Legends attaching to Hiawatha's name have been used in literature, notably by Longfellow.

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RAY MURPHY, HEAD OF LEGION, VISITS MONROE THURSDAY

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of space, to members of the legion. Commander Murphy will leave Monroe for Alexandria Friday at 9 a.m. While there, he will inspect the United States Veterans' hospital, after which he will proceed to Shreveport, where he will spend Friday night and where several entertainment features have been announced to be given in his honor.

The life story of Ray Murphy is typically American. From the ranks he ascended to command through his ability to understand and to lead. He was born on a farm in Dubuque county, Iowa, on May 2, 1887.

In early childhood, he moved with his parents to Ida Grove, his present home. It was here that he received his early education. After completing his high school course, he entered Iowa State university, selecting law as his profession. He graduated in 1912 and was admitted to the bar. For a short time only, he practiced law in Metolus, Oregon, but soon returned to Ida Grove, where he was honored in a few years by election to the offices of county attorney and city attorney, successively. He is a member of the Iowa State Bar association and of the American Bar association.

Excelling in Athletics Vigorous of body as well as of mind, Murphy excelled in athletics in his school and college days. Although he worked his way through college, he found time to captain Iowa's football team to a conference championship during his senior year, at the same time making a front-rank scholastic record. He was awarded the university trophy for having excelled both in athletics and scholarship.

At the age of 16, Murphy enlisted in the Iowa national guard. He advanced rapidly to the rank of captain. He served on the Mexican border in 1916 and returning in March, 1917, with the rank of first lieutenant, he was out of service but one week when he returned to active duty following America's declaration of war against Germany.

Commissioned Captain Murphy was assigned to the 34th division and was commissioned a captain, being put in command of the machine gun company of the 132d infantry.

He went overseas in 1918 and was transferred to the 28th division, participating in some of the most severe campaigning of the war. Upon returning to the United States at the end of the war, he received his discharge at Camp Dix, N. J., at that time being attached to the 19th machine gun battalion, 28th division.

Murphy is a charter member of Leo P. McNamara post of Ida Grove, Iowa, and has served as post commander, post service officer and district vice-commander.

He was commander of the Iowa department, 1923-1926, twice chairman of the state legislative committee, and chairman of the national athletic commission in 1922. He was elected a member of the national executive committee in 1929 and served for four years.

In the national field, Mr. Murphy's record is no less inspiring. He was appointed a member of the national legislative committee in 1933 and became its chairman. In 1930, he was appointed a member of the national special retail committee and in 1934 was made chairman of the national Americanism commission, which office he held at the time of his election as national commander.

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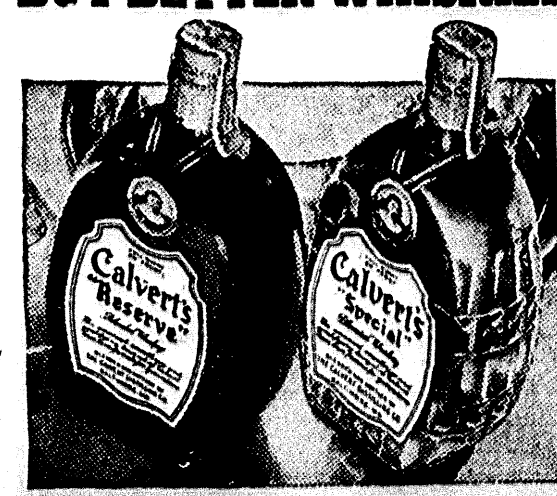
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Mrs. Sholars Observes Eightieth Anniversary

Reception In Honor Of Beloved Monroe
Woman Is Given At Home Of Daughter-
In-Law, Mrs. Thomas Sholars

Mrs. D. M. Sholars, an outstanding personage and one of Monroe's most beloved residents, was privileged to stand in the midst of old friends acquired back to the days of her early childhood and a host of other friends acquired through the passing years, in the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Sholars, Wednesday evening between the hours of five and seven o'clock.

Mrs. Sholars, who commemorated her eightieth birthday anniversary on this interesting occasion, stood in the flower-banked reception suite to receive the homage of friends, many of whom sent gifts of flowers and messages reflecting their love and esteem. Assisting in the courtesies were the celebrant's son, Mr. Allan Sholars, and Mrs. Sholars and her grandson and granddaughters, Mr. Brunswick Sholars, Mrs. Eblen Rau of New Orleans and Mrs. Ford Currier of Shreveport.

Mrs. Sholars, in the midst of this spirited gathering of relatives and friends, wore a lovely flowered chiffon model with English violets and duchess roses at her throat.

The shadowy reception suite, illuminated with myriad tall blue tapers in the midst of pink tulips and pink radiance roses, was thronging with guests, numbering sixty or more, who enjoyed the atmosphere of congeniality and the many courtesies extended.

The coffee table in the dining room, developed exclusively in white, was overlaid with handsome Venise Point lace with an oblong plaque of white roses and candytuft for floral adornment.

Slender white tapers burned in antique silver candlesticks down the full length of the beautifully appointed table and pricked the dimness in the background, where they burned in the midst of white roses banking the buffet and mantel.

Mrs. George Gunby and Mrs. Carrie Standifer, beautifully gowned, graciously presided over the handsome silver coffee services. A variety of delicious confections were served during the evening.

The woman's club of Abbeville will sponsor a special edition of their local newspaper, The Meridian, which will be off the press March 4. This special issue will contain facts and fancies about club women and their departments.

Mrs. Arthur A. LeJeune of Kaplan has been named editor-in-chief. Copies will be presented to each club woman present at the annual district meeting of the third district, in session at Abbeville March 7.

Personal news and social events are welcomed by this department. Readers are urged to telephone or otherwise communicate with the editor of the social page giving information that will be of general interest.

Benefit bridge will be given by members of the Episcopal guild at the home of Mrs. George Wright, 230 p.m. For reservations phone Miss Eunice Haynes. The telephone number 1369.

The musical coterie will meet with Miss Sue Heffley at the Sanders-Zeigler studio on South Grand street, 3:45 p.m.

Phi Kappa tea dance at the Phi Kappa house, 5 to 7 p.m.

Meeting of Business and Professional Women at clubhouse, 8 p.m.

Bethaven, the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biedenharn, is continually the scene these days of late winter, of informal little supper parties, the most recent of which brought friends together over the buffet supper table Wednesday night.

The dignified background of the dining room was relieved by the extravagant array of beautiful spring flowers nestling in a low plaque that adorned the supper table, overlaid with handsome renaissance lace. Pink carnations, pink sweet peas and purple tulips also glorified the buffet and serving tables. Silver salvers held the delectable array of viands, with broiled chicken the piece de resistance. Venetian crystal was used exclusively in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Biedenharn's complimentary was extended to: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oakley, Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Hudson, Mr. E. Matteson, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Larkin, Mr. and Mrs. F. Millsaps, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Biedenharn, Mr. and Mrs. John Broad, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Keenan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oliver.

Mrs. E. C. Gibson arranged a charming little bridge affair in her apartment at the Alvis hotel to commemorate the birthday anniversary of Mrs. D. A. Bradford.

Informality was the keynote of this delightful afternoon, which climaxed the cutting of a beautifully embossed birthday cake gracing the table, where delicious confections were served. In conclusion, Mrs. Bradford was presented with many beautiful gifts.

Mrs. E. F. Kenny returned from a week's visit in Alexandria. Mrs. Kenny attended the banquet at Hotel Bentley Monday night in honor of Mrs. Winifred D. Toussaint, national president of the ladies' auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Masur have returned from a visit of several days in New Orleans, where they were guests at the Roosevelt hotel.

Mrs. Ada Barditsky left Thursday for New Orleans, where she will be a patient in Charity hospital during the next few weeks.

Wimpy Wimbish, former assistant director and drum major of the Neville High school band, left last week for Birmingham, Ala., for an engagement at the Thomas Jefferson hotel with the Henry Dursk orchestra.

Miss Ruby Lee Collins of Shreveport was a guest during the past week of Mrs. S. Wimbish on North Fifth street.

Mrs. Henry Bernstein and Mrs. Milling Bernstein are visiting relatives in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Apperson have returned from a visit of several days with friends and relatives in New Orleans.

Mrs. F. P. Stubbs is enjoying a visit in New Orleans with her daughter, Miss Carolyn Stubbs, who is attending Sophie Newcomb college.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adler and son, Homer, have returned from a pleasant visit in Alexandria, where they attended the Broida-Meyer wedding, and also the Lomawitz-Begnaud nuptials.

On their return home, they were accompanied by Mrs. Jessie Shaeffer, a cousin who will make a short visit in Monroe before returning to her home in Pittsburgh, Pa.

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NEVER MIND THE LADY

by David Garth

SYNOPSIS: Allaire West is just arriving at her father's Virginia estate on the sun-trees. Allaire has lived very happily, although with fewer deviations from the proprieties than either her father or mother. But in the tropics Allaire has met briefly one Terry, Willett, and she never has seen the same carefree girl since. Terry is a young captain, and although Allaire does not know it, Terry is at the moment in the States. The girl is looking over the West estate.

Chapter 17.

CONVERSION PIECE

ALLAIRE's father and mother hadn't cared a farthing for tradition or memory. They'd purchased the estate as a happy compromise between her mother's love of Washington society and her father's reverence for Kentucky as a more suitable location for his racing stable.

And they'd done their best to remodel it into a showplace—long sweeping wings to accommodate more guests added to the original mansion, destroying its simplicity and solidarity; the old driveway winding its leisurely course through thick-growing evergreens changed at great cost of money and trees into a gleaming paved double drive; the picturesque coachhouse demolished to make room for an eight-car garage. They would have to pick that one spot.

But even at that they'd failed to wreck the atmosphere of the old place entirely. They had failed in other ways too—for her mother had long since retired to her home in Washington where from behind the bulwarks of her own social circle and private income she made sophisticated nose-thumbing gestures at her husband, except when something with social and diplomatic lure like that polo trip brought them together again.

And Allaire's tall slim father, his best polo days over, had settled down here either to break his neck in a fox hunt some day or else drink himself to death, either of which he would probably do very gracefully.

It was sunrise alone that gave Westlands any dignity. In the distance through a grove of trees she could see the red roofs of the stables—smart modern buildings surrounded by a covered tank track and adjacent to a private three-quarters of a mile exercise course.

A couple of her father's brood mares were running up and down near a white fence. So too had it he ever bred a Derby-winner—he wouldn't have anything in life to live for.

Allaire smiled slightly and sent the car into motion. She flashed in through the gates, sped up that long cement drive, and stopped under the portico. Homecoming! It hadn't been home to her for years.

The drive was full of cars so she knew some sort of a party was on, but the great house was quiet as she entered. Everybody seemed to have retired, although Ray was usually a night owl.

But no, there were still some stragglers clinging to the ghost of the evening. Allaire paused on the threshold of the living room. A man was asleep on a divan with his hands folded across his chest. A girl in green evening gown had evidently just awakened. She was walking around uncertainly.

Allaire had never seen her before in her life. Her father's policy of perpetual open house brought many strangers in with the tide. "What are you looking for?" she asked politely.

"The door, I think," said the girl in green. "Party seems to be over. Look at me walking around like a perfect sap." She giggled.

Allaire obligingly guided her to the staircase. "There you are," she said. "Good luck and good morning."

"I'll take the luck and you can have the morning," said the girl. Allaire went back to the living room and pulled a bell cord. Blythe, the butler, appeared, stifling a yawn as he saw who had summoned him. She gestured at the recumbent form on the divan.

"Please put him to bed," she requested. "And then go to bed yourself. The party," she added, "seems to be over."

Blythe and his unconscious charge having woefully disappeared, the girl sighed as she glanced about the room. She'd always liked this room. It was wide and high-ceilinged and had a huge stone fireplace. There were pictures of famous racehorses on the walls, and trophy cases of silver loving cups, blue ribbons, and other mementos of horse shows and steeplechases. She'd won a lot of them herself.

But the spirit of the room was

Friends of Mrs. Harry Bailey will regret to hear of her continued illness. Mrs. Bailey, prominent in the Business and Professional Women's club, has been quite ill for the past few weeks.

Miss Irma Mayhew left Tuesday for St. Louis, Mo., where she will be the guest of relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hammler of Jackson, Miss., were week-end guests in Monroe.

Mangham

Miss Janette Hixon was a week-end guest of Mrs. George Schinpoeh in Ruston.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Curry have as their guest his brother, Carl Curry of Gibsland.

Mrs. Mayo left for home in Texas this week, after having visited several weeks here with her daughter, Mrs. Rodger Baxter.

Mrs. M. W. Wooten was called to Ruston the first of the week on account of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Sims.

Mrs. Frank Adams returned to her home here this week, after having been ill at Mosley's clinic in Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Childress spent last week-end at Fort Necessity with her family.

Miss George Huff is the week-end guest of Miss Frances E. King of Lake Providence.

Rev. Rodger Baxter attended the missionary conference at the First Baptist church in Monroe, Thursday.

Mrs. Alex Watson and two daughters, Miss Ethel Watson and Mrs. Watson, were in town.

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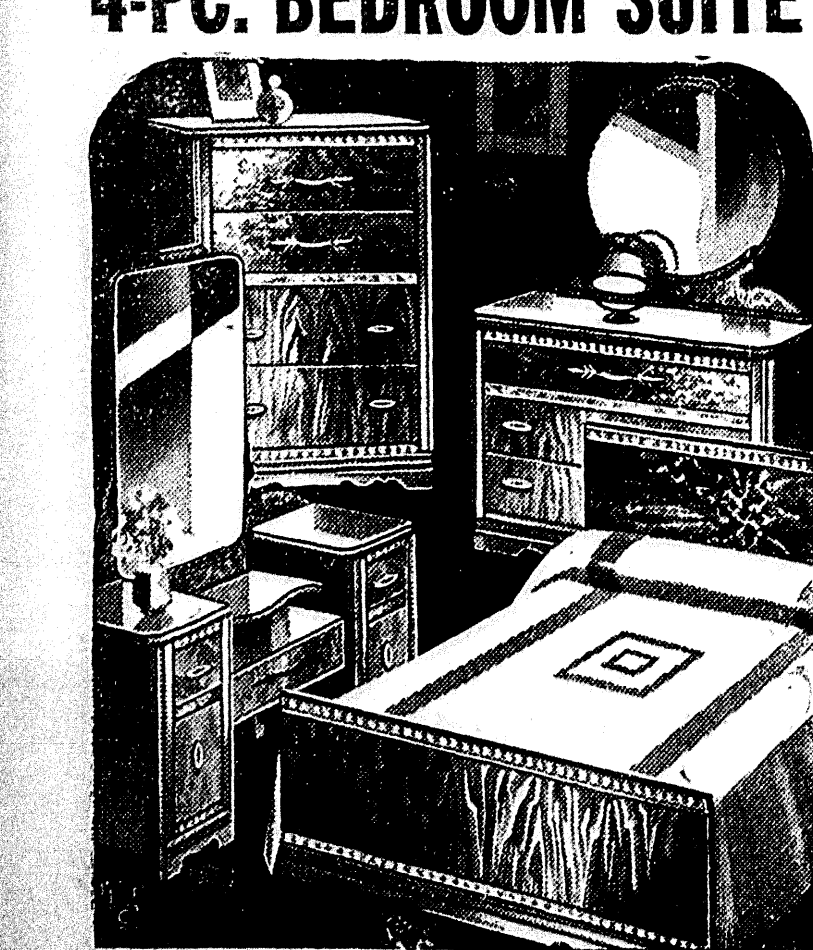
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NORWAY MOVES TO TOP IN OLYMPIC GAMES

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United States Picks Up Three Points For Sixth Position

GARMISCH - PARTENKIRCHEN, Germany, Feb. 13.—(AP)—Norway moved to the top of the team standings in the fourth Olympic games today as Charles Mathiesen captured the 1,500-meter speed skating crown and Oddbjørn Hagen led the way to a virtual Norwegian sweep of the combined ski cross-country-jumping championship.

Norway picked up 35 points in these two events and displaced Germany from first place in the unofficial team rankings with 105 points. Germany's total of 97 remained unchanged.

A fourth place for Leo Freisinger, 19-year-old Chicago youngster, in the 1,500-meter test enabled the United States to pick up three points and gain sixth position in the team standings with 12 1/2 points.

Mathiesen skated to a new Olympic record in earning Norway's third successive speed skating championship. He was clocked in 2:19.2, clipping 1.9 seconds off Clas Thunberg's former Olympic standard.

Ivar Ballangrud, who equaled one Olympic record and broke another in capturing the 500-meter and 5,000-meter titles, earned second place for Norway. Birger Vasenius of Finland took third place.

Hagen earned 430.3 points in the combined skiing event based on performances in the 18-kilometer cross-country race yesterday, and the jumping today. Norway also won second, third and sixth places in this event for a total of 20 of the maximum of 25 points. United States entries trailed far back.

In hockey, Great Britain made certain of a place in the final round by whipping Hungary, 5-1. Czechoslovakia defeated Austria, 2-1.

Perfect weather brought out big crowds for the day's competition. Chancellor Hitler unexpectedly appeared at the stadium today during the second period of the hockey match between England and Hungary.

It marked the first time since the opening ceremonies last Thursday that the chancellor had attended the Olympics.

His arrival was so sudden that even the Germans, at first, failed to recognize the Fuehrer, but once knowledge of his presence became generally known he was given an ovation.

Meanwhile, on the road to the ski stadium where the combined racing-jumping event was to be completed, heavy guards were stationed at intervals, indicating Hitler planned to watch the various events on the day's program.

Today's schedule of events in the winter Olympic games:

9 a.m.—Hockey, Hungary vs. England.

10 a.m.—1,500-meter speed skating championship.

10:30 a.m.—Hockey, Czechoslovakia vs. Austria.

11 a.m.—Ski jump (in combined event with 18-kilometer run).

2:30 p.m.—Figure skating, Paris championship.

9:30 p.m.—Hockey, United States vs. Sweden.

Yesterday's results:

Hockey: United States 1, Austria 0.

England 1, Germany 1, tie.

Canada 15, Hungary 0.

Czechoslovakia 4, Sweden 1.

Bob Sledging:

Four-man championship, won by Belgium (Pierre Musy, pilot); U. S. sleds piloted by Stevens and Tyler, fourth and sixth.

Speed Skating:

5,000-meter championship won by Ivar Ballangrud, Norway, time 8:19 (breaks Olympic record). No Americans placed in first six.

Skiing:

18-kilometer cross-country race combined event with jump—won by Artur Larsson, Sweden, time 1:14:38. Americans far behind.

Figure Skating:

Sonja Henie, defending champion from Norway, held lead when compulsory figures completed with 25.1 points; Maribel Vinson, leading American, sixth with 23.9 points.

WISNER AND OGDEN WIN CAGE CROWNS

WISNER, La., Feb. 13.—(Special)—The junior cagers of Wisner kept the trophy at home by defeating Central 19 to 15 in an exciting game, while the senior boys of Oden high defeated Crowley 34 to 17 in the fifteenth annual basketball ball tournament for Franklin parish schools held here Saturday.

Games in the preliminaries and semi-finals were as follows:

Juniors: Wisner 21, Baskin 11; Central 29, Oden 7; Winsboro 16, Gilbert 6; Wisner 32, Crowley 16; Central 48, Winsboro 3. Seniors: Oden 31, Central 24; Crowley 47, Winsboro 35; Winsboro 34, Ft. Necessity 22; Crowley 27, Gilbert 44, Baskin 19; Oden 30, Wisner 28.

Apparently the jinx is hovering around Coach Peel and his Wisner high cagers as he missed the championship in this tourney only one point and in a district tournament two weeks past he lost the trophy by one point.

Coach Boutwell of Newellton referred the senior games and Beverly Faust, principal of Waverly high, handled the junior games.

GYM BURNS AFTER 'HOT' CAGE GAME

COLTEWASH, Tenn., Feb. 13.—(AP)—Maybe it was because the Coltewash high school basketball team "got hot" Wednesday night in defeating Tyler high, 27 to 17, but the fact remains that right after the contest the gymnasium burned up.

Coach Earl Shanks was alone at the time and hastily gathered a "bucket brigade" of townspeople to combat the blaze.

All home games have been cancelled pending repair of the gym.

Quality Of U. S. Basketball Talent To Offset Handicap Of Olympic Rules



SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Eddie Brieiz (Associated Press Sports Writer)

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—(AP)—Fredrick Steele, the boxer, passed up an offer to go to Japan as an instructor at \$1,500 a month.

Just before his fight with Vince Dundee, the Tacoma News-Tribune issued a six-page section filled with ads from business houses wishing Freddy luck.

Dozens of other merchants called up to complain they were passed up in the contest.

What about a sports writer making the social register? ... He's Eddie Murray, recruit on the Evening Post.

Jimmy Fox is off to Florida by boat to become dean of home runs in Max Carey's baseball school.

Jack Dempsey and family will vacation abroad this summer.

Ralph Metcalfe, Marquette sprinter, rode 1,000 miles each way to run in Boston last Saturday night.

Richmond Times-Dispatch says the Graham anti-subsidization plan may be repealed by popular demand before the football season starts.

When the original Celtics bopped up with a center standing six feet, eight, Miami (Okla.) Junior College trotted out "Slim" Freeburger whose height is 6 feet, 8 3/4 inches.

Any other candidates?

Joe Engel, president of the Chattanooga Lookouts, is loose again.

Once he signed a girl pitcher and arranged for her to fan Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig.

Another time he traded a ball player for a turkey.

He'll hang cages of canaries in his grandstand.

And if the game is dull, he'll pep things up with pigeon races.

His latest stunt is a plop.

This year he's going to give away a \$12,000 house with a Baby Grand in the drawing room.

And a lot with a garage on it and a car in the garage.

Odd and ends: Stan Kostka and Odden Beise, fullbacking twins of the 1934 Minnesota eleven, are playing pro basketball together.

Ivory billiard balls, such as the professionals use, are seasoned for five years after they are turned out.

Al Manaux may shift Alabama Pitts to Albany's farm in the New York-Penn League.

Mike Michalske, former Penn State star as assistant coach at Lafayette.

L. S. U. BASEBALL PROSPECTS GOOD

Tigers Have Veterans For Every Position On Diamond Squad

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 13.—(Special)—With the sun out for the first time in a fortnight, Louisiana State university athletes have taken to the outdoors in two sports, track and baseball.

Baseball battery men have been working out indoors and are much farther advanced than infielders and outfielders who are reporting this week.

Baseball prospects are brighter than in years. Coaches Harry Rabenhorst and J. B. Whitworth are in accord in forecasting a better baseball team for L. S. U. The Tigers have veterans for almost every position, and, more important, have excellent hurling strength.

In four years, spring football has taken most of the baseball stars away from the diamond, but this season it happens that the best ballplayers are seniors and will not report for spring gridiron work.

L. S. U.'s outlook for track and field is far from bright. The Tigers have been hard hit by graduation and injuries, and do not appear to have enough material available to develop a team anywhere near as strong as the last two combinations which swept to Southeastern conference championships.

Coach "B" Gourrier is handling the track and field candidates.

Head Coach Bernie H. Moore devotes his time to spring football practice.

BURGHARD, CHEST TO WORK CAGE TOURNEY

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 13.—(AP)—J. E. Burghard of Jackson, Miss., and J. Olney (Bowers) Chest of Nashville, Tenn., will serve as referees for the Southeastern conference basketball tournament here February 28 to March 3.

Announcement of their selection was made Wednesday by Colonel Paul B. Parker, athletic director of the University of Tennessee.

The tournament committee composed of Parker, H. J. Stegeman, athletic director of the University of Georgia, and H. G. Crisp, University of Alabama basketball coach.

Chest worked the last two conference basketball tournaments in Atlanta.

The date of drawings and other information will be announced Saturday, Parker said.

COLLINSTON BEATS HARRIS FIVE TWICE

COLLINSTON, La., Feb. 13.—(Special)—The Harris high school basketball team, winner of the state championship last year, was beaten twice here Wednesday by the Collinston high school five. The local boys beat Harris, 42 to 32, in an afternoon engagement and returned to win a night game, 40 to 30.

Pan-American Oilers Beat Collinston, 62-19

The Pan-American Oilers of Monroe defeated the Collinston All-Stars 62 to 19 in a basketball game Tuesday night at Collinston.

Arnold led the scoring for the Monroe team with 21 points. Shaw was 15 points and Collinston's high scorer was Harrington, who made 10 points.

The All-Stars will come here next Tuesday for a return game to be played in the evening at the gymnasium of the Northeast Center of Louisiana State university.

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Gravel Courts Will Prove Hindrance To Yankee Dribblers

By Jimmy Donahue (NEA Service Sports Writer)

LAWRENCE, Kan., Feb. 13.—The United States Olympic games basketball squad will stack up against conditions entirely foreign to those under which it plays in this country.

Regardless of that, Dr. Forrest C. (Phog) Allen, director of athletics and coach of the University of Kansas, who will handle the Yankee squad, is optimistic.

Reason for the optimism of this sage of the court game, who has tutored teams for 25 years at Kansas and Warrensburg Teachers, is evident. The United States will have the pick of the largest number of players indulging in the sport in any country in the world.

The tournament to select the squad will be played in New York in April. Five college teams will be selected through elimination in 10 regions, and pairings of regional winners; the winner and runner-up in the National A. A. U. tournament; and the winner of the Y. M. C. A. meet.

From the winner of the final round these eight squads, the runner-up and other top teams will be selected 14 men.

Gravel Hinders Dribble

"Competition is to be under European rules, which differ somewhat from those in use in this country," points out Dr. Allen. "Play will be a lot of courts, in asphalt, or gravel or bituminous courts. It's difficult to dribble on these types of surfaces, and it will take some time to acquaint our boys with conditions."

"According to a letter that I received from V. Bouryschkin, director of athletics at the American School in Paris, European officials call pivot play strictly, ruling as traveling what is perfectly legal in this country. Stalling or 'freezing' are legal in European play."

Dr. Allen, however, isn't worried much over differences in regulations. His 19 conference championships in 25 years of coaching has made him an authority on unequal in the country.

Phog broke in under Dr. James Naismith, inventor of the game, when he was playing with the Kansas City Athletic club in 1905. The father of basketball, then Jayhawk coach, induced Allen to enter Kansas university. In 1908 Naismith's pupil took over the coaching reins, and won two straight championships.

Then he entered medical school and, in the fall of 1912, became coach of all sports at Missouri State Teachers.

Warrensburg. In 1919 he returned to his alma mater as director of athletics, and has been there ever since.

Prize Pupils Now Coaching

Dr. Allen originated the zone elastic band, five-man defense system. This advocates playing the ball instead of the man, and players are not worn down as in the man-to-man defense. It also tends to hold down opponents' scores.

Some idea of the game the Yankees will play against teams of 22 other nations in Berlin, the first time basketball will be a competitive Olympic sport (it was played as an exhibition contest during the 1920 Olympics in St. Louis) can be had from the type of game Allen's teams play.

His offensive game consists of short passes, pivots, dribbles and short shots. He stresses accurate shooting of foul goals, and uses both the fast break and the set screening plays.

As a builder of star players, Dr. Allen probably is not outside by any coach in the country. A few of his former pupils are Louis Menze, Iowa State mentor, whose team won the Big Six title last year; John Bunn, Stanford coach; Adolph Rupp, Kentucky; Dutch Lomborg, Northwestern; and Forrest Cox, University of Colorado.

More Than 80 Candidates To Report To Walker For Grid Work

UNIVERSITY, Miss., Feb. 13.—(AP)—More than 80 candidates are expected to answer Coach Ed Walker's spring football practice call at the University of Mississippi.

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On paper Ole Miss' prospects for a winning team are the best in years. Only four regulars from the strong 1935 club will be missing and at least two good men will be available for each of the posts vacated.

Two holes in the line and two in the backfield must be filled. Doby Bartling, quarterback; Rab Rodgers, all-Southeastern halfback; C. R. "Tex" Nelson, capable center, and big Bill Richardson, place-kicking tackle, from the quietest whose academic careers were in blue.

However, Coach Walker believes the returning varsity men, supplemented by versatile reserves and sophomores will more than make up for the losses.

At least three backs, Dave Bernard, Herb Baumstein and Marvin Hutson have seen a good bit of service at the quarterback position and Bernard and Baumstein are able to perform acceptably at fullback, with Hutson capable of taking over the pivotal duties if necessary.

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S. A. U. TOURNEY SET FOR MARCH 6-8

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13.—(AP)—The annual tournament to determine the Southern A. A. U. basketball champion will be held in New Orleans March 6, 7, and 8. Chairman Clyde Simon, Secretary L. Di Benedetto, to the A. A. U. basketball committee, announced Wednesday.

Chairman Simon pointed out that the National A. A. U. cage tourney is scheduled for Denver the week of March 15, and arrangements are being made to send the winner of the Southern tournament to the National meet, which will serve as a semi-final Olympic tryout.

A dozen teams from Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas competed in the 1935 tournament. But the fact this is Olympic year is expected to increase the entries.

Cities expected to enter teams this year are Dallas, Tullahoma, La., Bokulu, Lafayette, Baton Rouge, Laurel, Hattiesburg and New Orleans.

LEADING PROS IN GEORGIA TOURNEY

Sarazen, Rinyan And Others Seek \$3,000 Thom- asville Prize

THOMASVILLE, Ga., Feb. 13.—(AP)—The parade of the professional golfers around the winter circuits halts here Friday for the \$3,000 Thomasville open tournament at 12 holes over the difficult Glen Arven country club course.

Coming from previous tournaments in Florida and California, most of the nation's ranking professionals had checked in and others were expected to arrive Thursday.

The first 18 holes of the medal play event are scheduled for Friday, with 18 holes following Saturday. The field for the 36-hole finals on Sunday is reduced to the low-scoring sixty golfers.

Practically all of the big names of golf were on the entry list already, including Johnny Revolta, P. G. A. A. champion, Horton Smith, George S. Henry, Henry Picard, "Wild Bill" Melhorn, Ray Mangrum, Jay Lafon, Willy Cox, Jimmy Hines, Vic Ghezzi and others.

Walter Hagen and Paul Hurney had not yet arrived but were expected to pull in Thursday, local officials said. Gene Sarazen arrived late Wednesday.

First-place money for the 72-hole medal competition is \$700. There will be 19 other cash awards.

Delegates were entered from Atlanta, and cities of Florida and Alabama.

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NEW MATERIAL TO BOLSTER CENTER FOR TIGER FIGHTS

Williams, Frank Bono And Arnold Likely To Battle Friday

Several new faces may appear in Northeast Center's boxing lineup here tomorrow night when the Indians meet a "B" team of boxers from Louisiana State university, Coach James L. Malone announced last night. The card will be presented at the Neville high school auditorium at 8 o'clock.

A sure starter in the Redmen's lineup will be James Williams, of Choudrant, who will be fighting his first battle for Center. Williams, former north Louisiana 145-pound champion during his athletic career with Choudrant high school, is in splendid shape, it was reported yesterday, and Coach Malone stated that he was counting on Williams as one of his "sure point winners." Williams will fight in the 135-pound class in the place of Jack Gremlinton, who is ill with flu, but the addition of Williams is strengthening the team rather than weakening it, it was said.

Two others tentatively billed as starters are Frankie Lee, brother of Sammy, and Boyd Arnold. Frankie Bono, 145, is a stellar boxer in his own right, but due to a football injury received last fall he has been unable to enter the ring. He has been spending his time with the team as "student coach" and has been rendering Coach Malone some invaluable assistance.

The probability of Frankie appearing on the program all depends on whether he is able to "make the weight" or not. He is in fine shape and is working hard for the chance.

Boyd Arnold, husky heavyweight, has shown up so well this week that it is highly probable that he will start in the place of "Bully" White. Coach Malone said last night that these chances appeared to be strengthening the team considerably and he at least expects to break even with the State Tigers.

Unless doctors' orders reverse Coach Malone's decision, Sammy Bono, 175-pound star, will be included in the list of battles. Bono has, from all appearances, completely recovered from the foul blow received in his last fight, but if physicians on examining him before the fight decide he should not fight, the Indian will be withheld.

In the event Sammy Bono does not fight, Coach Malone plans to let his brother, Frankie, take his place in the light-heavy line.

Frankie will be fighting out of his class, but he believes he will be able to take care of himself.

Three members of the squad are ill with flu but their absence will not weaken the team perceptibly, it is believed. Jack Beckett, 135, Al LeBlanc, 135, and Jack Gremlinton, 135, are the ailing ones. Beckett's case is slight, however, and he may be able to fight.

Others whom Coach Malone announced would be almost sure representatives of Center are "Bumps" Gimpley, who appears in a feature battle of the card against Morris Bohrer, 115; Lyle Garretson, 126, Monroe boy who is showing considerable improvement; "Red" Reynolds, 135; Louis Beard, 145, another Monroe product who fought a draw at Century last week; and Frank Mosley, 165.

MARTIN REFUSES CARDINAL OFFER

Pepper Says He Isn't A Holdout But He Wants More Money

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 13.—(AP)—John Leonard "Pepper" Martin has rejected the 1936 contract proffered by the St. Louis National baseball club but he insisted Wednesday night he's not a holdout.

Holdout, explained the fleet Cardinal fielder who stops ground balls with his chest, is a nasty word. He put it this way:

"We have had a little misunderstanding about my contract. That is all. I think it will be settled soon."

Martin, who lives here and is vice president of the Oklahoma City club of the American Hockey association, did not care to discuss the terms of the rejected contract.

He is reported to have sent three contracts back to the Cardinal management.

A reliable source said the latest contained no clauses which would prevent Martin from indulging in another hobby during the baseball season, that of midget automobile racing.

The management last season frowned on Martin's enthusiasm for the sport and the Pepper at that time said he would give it up rather than let it interfere with his baseball career.

The Pepper was perturbed at reports he might be a holdout.

Reports said that he had been offered the same salary, \$11,000, as last year.

The Cardinals will report at Bradenton, Fla., for the opening of spring training on Feb. 23.

"And I'll be there," Martin said.

CHICKS SELL PITCHER GREER TO FT. WORTH

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 13.—(AP)—Ed "Beachcomber" Greer, veteran right-handed hurler, was sold by the Memphis Cubs Wednesday to Fort Worth of the Texas league, president

BIDS TAKEN ON 14 FARM ROADS

Several Are For Parishes In Fifth Congressional District

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 13.—(AP)—Proposals for construction of 14 farmer type road units were received yesterday by the Louisiana Highway commission.

The projects and listed low bidders were:

St. Helena—3.711 miles between Grangeville and intersection route 103. N. Cardinal and Co., Plaquemine, La. \$6,290.54.

St. Tammany—7.713 miles between Sildell and intersection route C-1334. Kivett and Reel, Inc., Sun La. \$112,877.90.

East Carroll—4.676 miles between Transylvania and Waddell. Louisiana Materials Co., New Orleans. \$13,398.09.

St. Bernard—5.546 miles on Shell Beach-Yolokch-South highway, routes 32 and C-1389. T. L. James and Co., Inc., Ruston, La. \$25,622.25.

Claiborne—3.325 miles between Athens and Marsalis. Laramie and Henry, Hilly, La. \$10,333.50.

Rapides—8.845 miles between Bethel Church and Westport, route C-1414. T. L. James and Co., Inc., Ruston, La. \$32,756.01.

Grant—7.498 miles between Aloha and Old Varda, route C-1432. Floren Construction Co., Inc., Shreveport, La. \$43,633.70.

St. Landry—8.41 miles between Washington and Randall. Barber Bros. Contracting Co., Inc., Baton Rouge, La. \$36,042.95.

Iberia and St. Martin—3.388 miles between intersection route 401 and Iberia line highway. Louisiana Materials Co., New Orleans. \$14,532.85.

St. Mary—3.734 miles on routes 910 and C-1433. The Huth Construction Co., Franklin, La. \$10,476.54.

Vernon and Allen—5.416 miles be-

tween Dido and intersection route 151 on route 498. Mills Engineering Construction Co., Lake Charles, La. \$20,314.91.

Webster—6.987 miles from Springhill southwest. Hornsby and Glover, Bossier City, La. \$34,016.48.

Winn—6.72 miles between Meredith and Shady Grove. Delony and Tatum, Dubach, La. \$39,586.68.

Tensas—10.42 miles on routes 686 and C-1445. J. C. Leathers, Alexandria, La. \$36,654.11.

Quarterly Conference Is Held At Jonesville

JONESVILLE, La., Feb. 13.—(Special)—Dr. N. E. Joyner, presiding elder of the Alexandria district of the Methodist Episcopal church, preached at the evening hour in the First Methodist church of Jonesville Sunday evening, using as his subject, "Laying Up Treasures on Earth."

Immediately following the preaching services the board of stewards met and approved plans to build a belfry and new walks for the church. After the meeting of the stewards the first quarterly conference was held and Dr. Joyner commended the congregation for the splendid start the church had made in the new year.

This was Dr. Joyner's first visit to Jonesville and he expressed himself as being greatly pleased with the splendid new building and the apparent interest of the people in the work of the church.

The conference was the first to be held in Jonesville for the new full time pastor, Rev. Jerome Cain, who was recently transferred by the conference from Shreveport.

Dr. Joyner was high in his praise of the church as well as in his commendation of the pastor, as reports showed that all departments of the church were functioning effectively.

HURT IN FALL

OLLA, La., Feb. 13.—(Special)—Mrs. W. P. Cupples, aged 73, of near Olla, who slipped and fell in the yard of her home, seriously injuring her hip, is convalescing slowly at her home. Mrs. Beckie Coleman of Olla also slipped and fell recently, receiving injuries which confine her to her home.

J. Frank Harris Is Held To Be Nominee By Court

HOMER, La., Feb. 13.—(Special)—J. Frank Harris has been declared the Democratic nominee as police juror from ward four of Claiborne parish by the district court here.

The court held that there was a majority of 11 votes for the defendant, Harris, after the ballots from the precincts contested by the plaintiff, J. E. Wade, were counted.

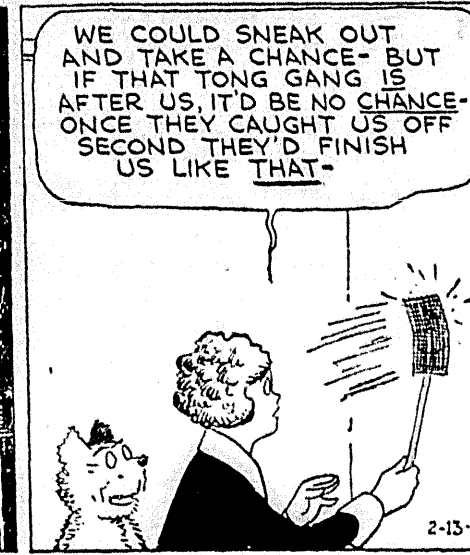
An appeal was taken. It will be heard by the court of appeal at Shreveport February 17. District Judge E. C. McClendon fixed the plaintiff's appeal bond at \$300.

Wade contended that certain ballots had been declared spoiled that should have been counted in his favor. Observing that the ballots were marked with pen and ink, the court held them illegal. Judge McClendon said the only legal way to mark a ballot in the election was with a pencil.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE



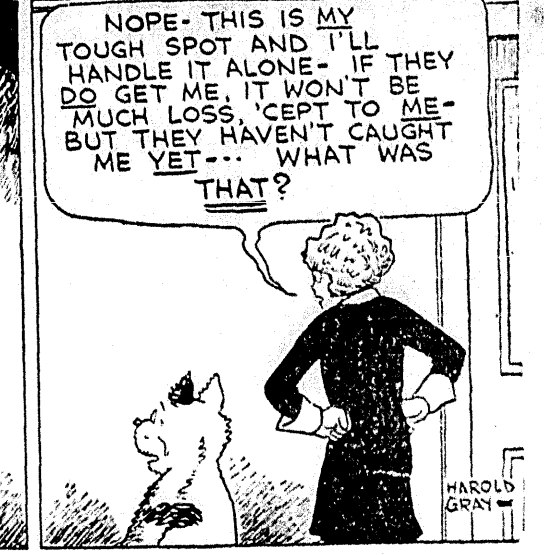
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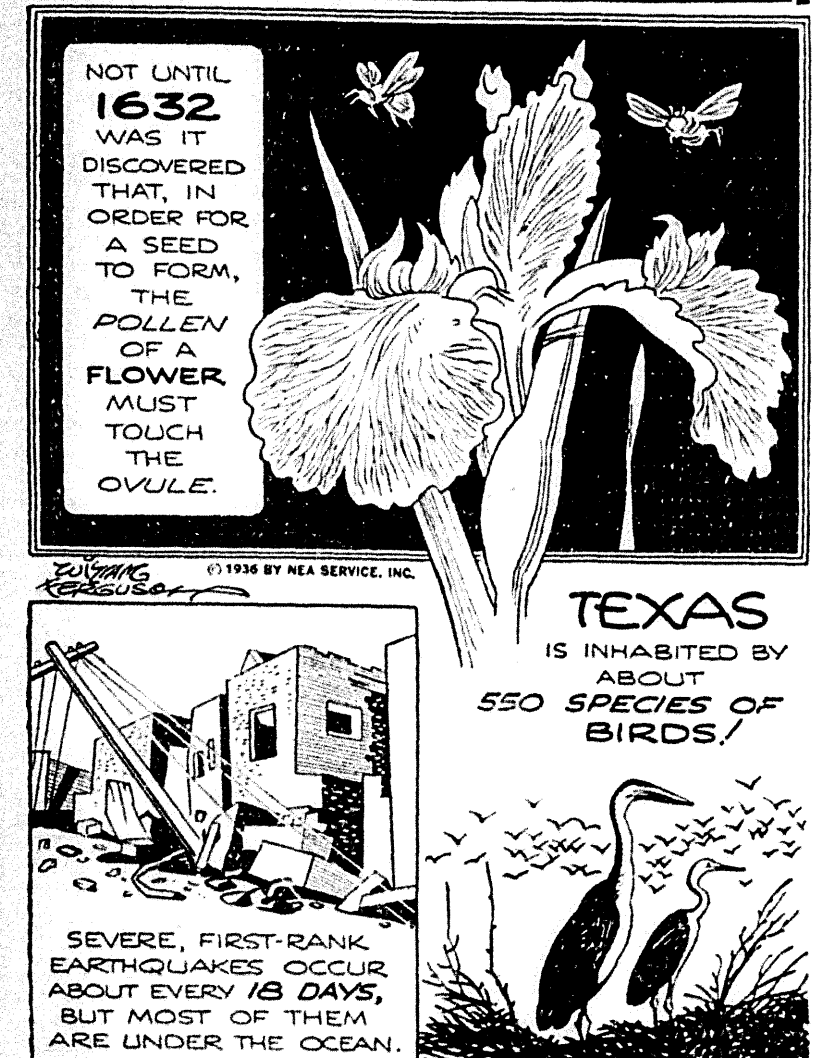
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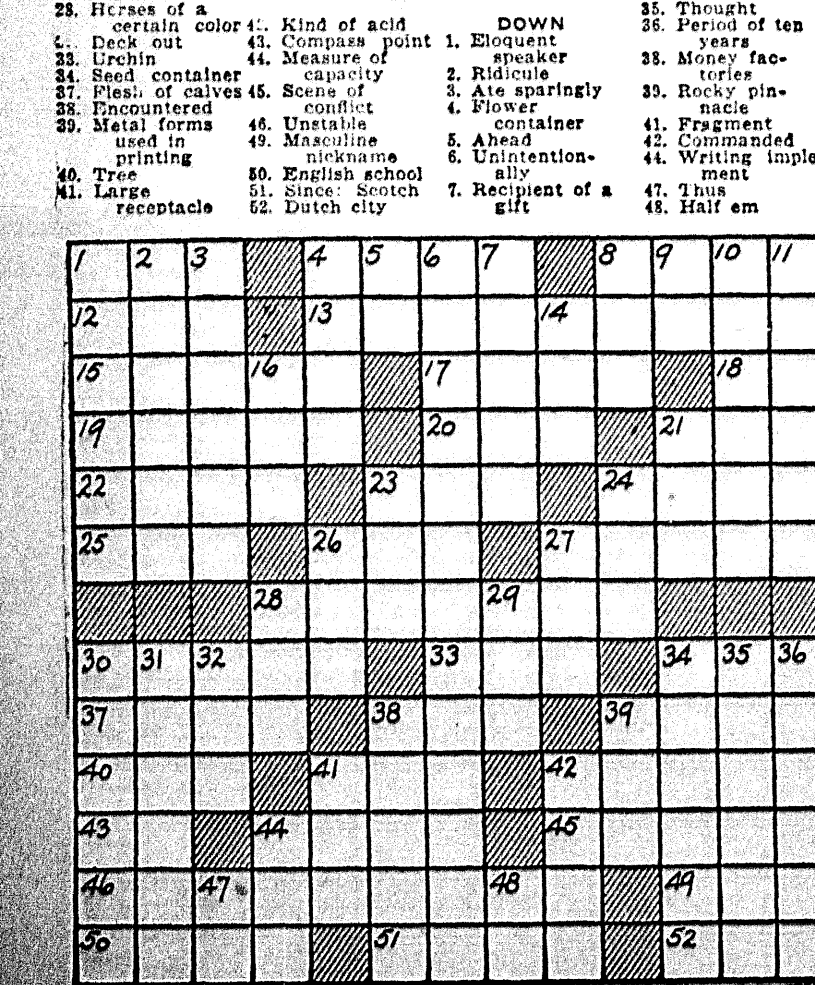


THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

ACROSS
1. Strange
2. Empty place
3. Big circular plate
4. Brazilian money of account
5. One who supplies with notes
6. Open courts
7. Fresh
8. Old exclamation
9. A tenth part
10. Lair
11. Obese
12. Poems
13. Salvation
14. Cereal
15. Scarlet
16. Kind
17. Impatiently
18. Desires
19. Hiccup of a certain color
20. Deck out
21. Urchin
22. Seed container
23. Flesh of calves
24. Encountered
25. Metal forms used in printing
26. Tree
27. Large receptacle
28. Black bird
29. Pronoun
30. Comfort
31. Mouth of a volcano
32. Base of the decimal system
33. Exclamations
34. Kind of fruit
35. Melody
36. Oriental commander
37. Plaything
38. Old times
39. Poetic
40. Salt
41. Take solid food
42. Broad street
43. Soften in temper
44. Strike violently
45. Stone of a small fruit
46. Thought
47. Period of ten years
48. Money factories
49. Rocky pinnae
50. Fragment
51. Commanded
52. Writing implement
53. This
54. Half em



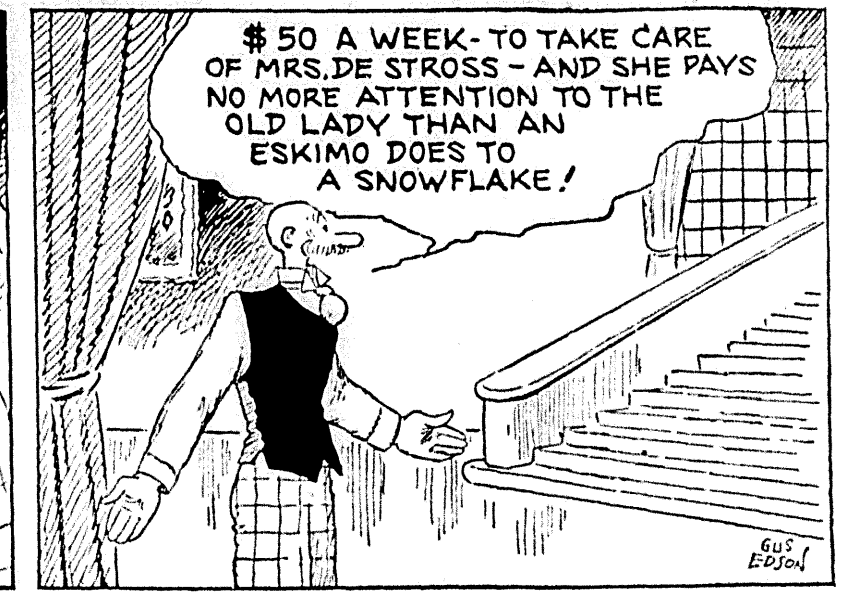
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Andy Should Have Been A Doctor



By Sidney Smith



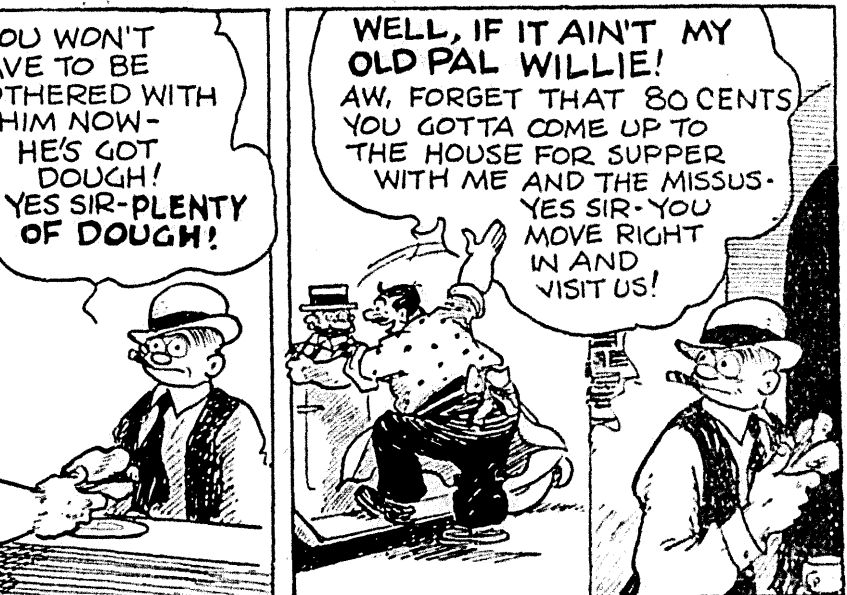
MOON MULLINS



Here Comes Santa Claus



By Willard



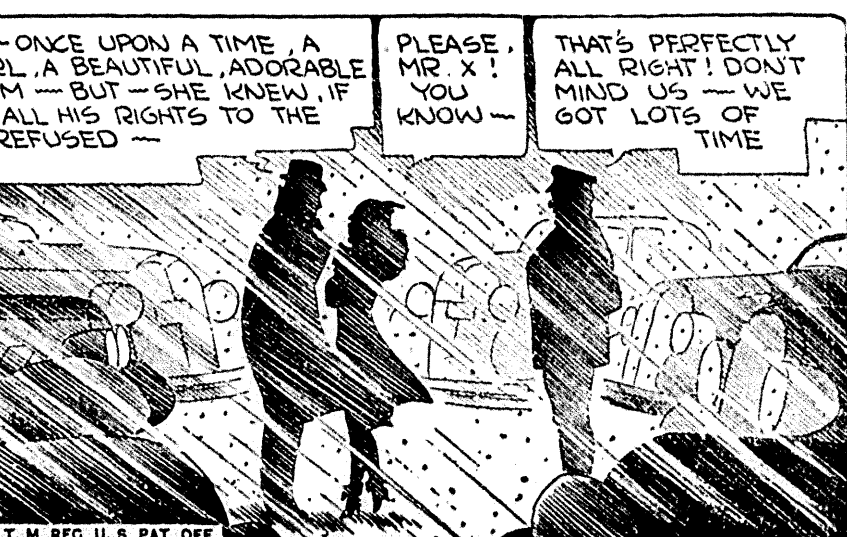
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



Love Must Be Blind!



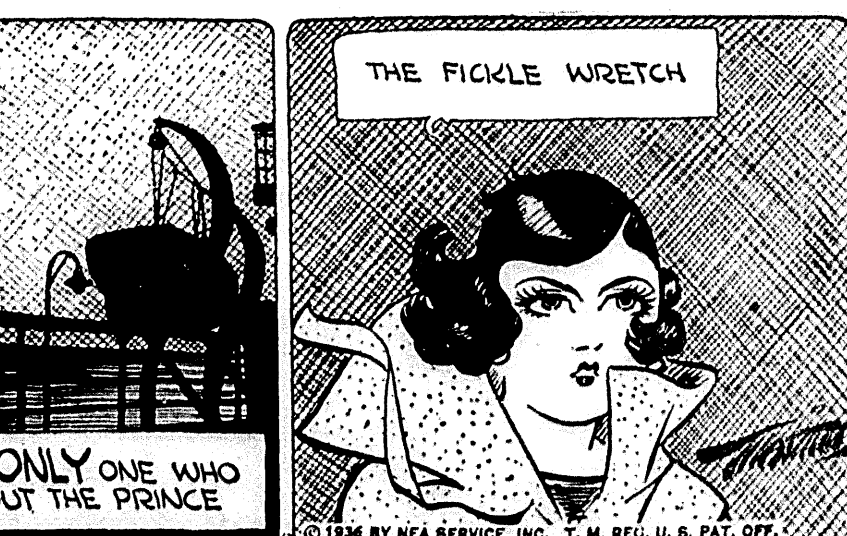
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The Female Of The Species



By Edgar Rice Burroughs



TARZAN AND THE LEOPARD MEN



By Edgar Rice Burroughs



By Edgar Rice Burroughs



By Edgar Rice Burroughs



DOCTOR OFFERS PLEA FOR MORE CANCER CLINICS

Would Spend More For Treatment And Less For Experiment

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 13.—(AP)—A plea for more clinics for cancer treatment rather than increased research into the cause of the disease was placed before the Mid-South Post Graduate Medical assembly today as a record attendance was established.

The convention opened its third day with 1,013 physicians registered, more than at any meeting during the history of the 52-year-old medical group.

NOVEL NUMBER IS TO BE PRESENTED

Carmens Will Appear In Songs And Dances At Cherokee Terrace

A musical number, novel and entirely unusual, will be one of the features of the floor show to be given at Cherokee terrace atop Hotel Frances Saturday night.

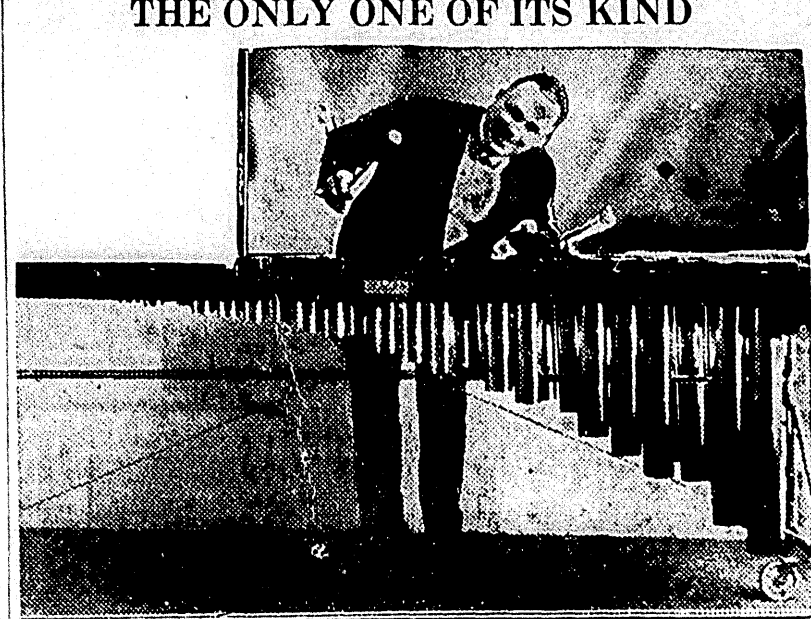
The Carmen group have won widespread fame throughout the country for the quality of their program, and their appearance here is expected to be something of a sensation in the local night club life.

THE ONLY ONE OF ITS KIND

Country Club, St. Louis; the Blackland inn, out of Denver, and opened the new Rendezvous in the Hotel Utah, Salt Lake City, as well as the new Casanova, Brown Palace hotel, Denver, where they were featured with Carlos Molina and his famous rhumba band.

Other night clubs where they have been appearing include the Silver Slipper, Kansas City; Peabody hotel, Memphis, with Carlos Molina, the Club Continental, Hotel Jefferson, St. Louis, with "Chick" Scoggins and his band.

In Nashville, Tenn., they were the principal attraction at the President's Birthday ball in the Hippodrome, following which they had a special engagement at the famous Wagon Wheel in that city.



Billy Carmen, playing the "marimba-xylophone," described as the "only illuminated, moving instrument of its kind in existence," who will be featured in the Cherokee terrace floor show Saturday night.

SMALLEST POST RECEIVES AWARD

Crowville Unit Wins Distinguished Service Certificate

The Crowville post of the American Legion has just won a "Special Certificate for Most Distinguished Service," it was announced Thursday by W. A. Chachere, post commander and organizer of the group.

This post, with 22 members, is said to be the only one in the country of its size that owns its own clubhouse.

A letter congratulating Commander Chachere, received from Ray Murphy, national legion commander, was made public Thursday as follows:

"Under your leadership your post has won a 'Special Certificate for Most Distinguished Service,' awarded because of your fine membership record. I am fully conscious of the tireless efforts that have brought about this result, and know that in its accomplishment you have the cooperation and support of the individual members of your post. Nothing is more important to the American Legion than membership. Great membership and great accomplishments must go hand in hand.

"To you and to each member of your post, I extend my congratulations and my appreciation for the splendid service to the American Legion. May I ask that you express to them my own gratitude for work well done?" Commander Chachere stated that at the time the clubhouse was erected, there were but 15 members of the post. The lot required was purchased and paid for and a building 32 by 54 feet erected thereon. The post is proud to state that the building and site are both paid for in full.

New Spring Fashions! in Our Ladies' READY-TO-WEAR Penney Days are Saving Days!

New Shipment!!! Ladies' Spring COATS \$10.90 Styles that will thrill you! The largest and most complete assortment of coats we have shown. Material that we could not duplicate anywhere at this price.

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That Special Tastiness—you can count on its being in every barrel and bottle of our Family's Whiskey—always!

Maybe you'd like it if I set right down here a promise me and the boys are going to keep till the day we die. I'm speaking for myself and the boys when I promise you can count on us seeing to it that the quality of our Family's Whiskey is going to stay put—with all that mildness and tastiness in each and every bottle—yesterday, today and tomorrow.

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Court Of Honor, Dinner To Be Held Tonight By Madison Scout District A banquet inaugurating a Boy Scout financial campaign in Madison parish will be held tonight at Tallulah, with several officials of the Ouachita Valley Boy Scout council present. A court of honor will follow the banquet.

HEART ATTACK FATAL TO CORTLANDT M'COY

Cortlandt McCoy, 47, for a number of years associated with several lumber companies of Monroe and vicinity died at midnight Wednesday at his residence, 110 Pershing place, from a sudden heart attack. The body will be taken on a night Illinois Central railroad train to Franklin, W. Va., his birthplace and former home, where the funeral and interment will take place.

Mr. McCoy received his education in Franklin, where he remained up to a few years ago, when he came to Louisiana. He was employed for a time by the Jones Lumber company near Fondale, by the Frost Lumber industries, by Kellogg Lumber company and by other similar concerns.

Alleged Chicken Thief Is Arrested By Police

Police Thursday morning arrested Mose Hendricks, negro, who allegedly committed two of three chicken house robberies which took place during the night. The negro is charged with stealing nine chickens from the chicken houses of Easter Duncan, negro woman, residing at 1806 Breard street, and five from the chicken house of Mary Johnson, negro woman living at 506 South Twenty-fourth street.

MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief Of Pain Many sufferers relieve nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys.

SPECIAL FRESH FISH — AT — SUR-WAY STORE

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| Fresh Water Dressed CATFISH, per lb. | 24c |
| Dressed BUFFALO, lb. | 15c |
| Big White Spray MACKEREL | 18c |
| Smoked BLOATERS, pair | 29c |
| Del Monte Large SARDINES, can | 9c |
| CLAM CHOWDER, can | 24c |
| Del Monte Tall Red SALMON | 23c |
| Fresh GASPERGOU, lb. | 12½c |
| Boston Beauty MACKEREL | 12½c |
| White Lake FISH, per lb. | 30c |
| Miss Petite Fancy SARDINES, imported | 12½c |
| King George SARDINES, can | 14c |
| Tall Can, Salmon Style MACKEREL, 3 for | 25c |

Resolutions Condemn Overpass Near Arcadia ARCADIA, La., Feb. 13.—(Special)—The Arcadia Lion club, at its weekly meeting yesterday, adopted resolutions condemning an extremely hazardous railroad overpass on U. S. highway 80, three miles east of here.

The overpass is known as the Jake Raspberry overpass. The club petitioned state and federal authorities in the resolutions to consider the advisability of replacing it with a wider overpass, one that will pass over the railroad tracks at a safer angle.

The present overpass crosses the tracks at right angle to the highway. Numerous fatal automobile accidents have occurred at the spot.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED Mrs. G. A. Aden, president of the Sherouse school P. T. A., announced Thursday that an executive meeting would be held at the school Friday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock, to be followed by a meeting of the study group at 2 o'clock. Members are urged to attend.

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